

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of
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Title: **Electrode Structure For An Iontophoresis Device And
Method Of Producing The Same**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

After assigning a serial number to the above-captioned application and before calculating the fee, please undertake the following changes:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the amended claims 1, 3-5 and 13-16 for the original claims 1, 3-5 and 13-16 as follows:

1. (Amended) An electrode structure for an iontophoresis device comprising:

a backing having a substrate film having a molding portion,
an electrode layer formed passing the outer circumferential portion from the inner bottom of the molding portion,

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